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Aug. 27—3mos

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BY virtue of an Order of the Orphans' Court of the State of Delaware, in and for New Castle county, will be exposed to sale at Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

The 3rd Day of November, 1870,

At 1 o'clock, P. M. at the Hotel of George W. Ortlip, in Middletown, the following described Lands and Tenements, being the Real Estate of the late Samuel W. Roberts, deceased, the same being ordered to be sold for the payment of his debts, to wit: All that certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate in New Castle county, State of Delaware, one mile from Middletown, adjoining lands of Nehemiah Burris and Alfred G. Nowland, and binding upon the public road leading from Middletown to Summit Bridge, and on the east side of said road, the metes and bounds of which are as follows:

Beginning at the branch on said public road, a corner for the land of Robert T. Cochran, thence with said road, north, 9½° west, 15 perches; thence with said road, north, 7° east, 291 perches, to a stone, a corner for the land of Alfred G. Nowland; thence with the line of the said Alfred G. Nowland, south, 57° east, 135 6-10 perches, to a stone, a corner for the land of Nehemiah Burris; thence with the line of the said Nehemiah Burris, south, 30½° west, 245 perches, to the branch; thence south, 15° east, 10 4-10 perches, to the line of the land of the Forest Church cemetery; thence with said line of the Forest Church cemetery, south, 68° west, 27 perches, thence to the place of Beginning, containing within said metes and bounds

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To be sold free and clear of Dower.

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BENJ. R. USTICK,
oct 1—ts *Clerk of Orphans' Court.*

To the Public.

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Buttonhole, Overseaming,
SEWING MACHINE,

Has the following advantages over most all other Sewing Machines in the market:

1 It has a tension which prevents cutting of thread or dropping of stitches.
2 It has the most powerful construction, which will insure good work for a quarter of a century.
3 It sews the lightest cambric and the usual shoe leather without any strain whatever.
4 It has a feed bar which can be lowered or raised at will, thus adapting it to all kinds of material.
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6 It has the highest attainable speed, making 2,200 stitches per minute by foot, and 3,000 by steam.
7 It is the lightest running shuttle machine.
8 It makes the most beautiful lock stitch.
9 It has the handsomest appearance.
10 It has the strongest, most convenient, handsomely polished, braced table, with drawer, and board to prevent soiling the dress.
11 Its cover is polished, fitting and locked as a little trunk. There is nothing better than this to preserve the machine.
12 It has straight needle.
13 Four bobbins hold a spool of cotton.
14 It has the best hemmer.
15 It has the most complete attachment, the Jack-of-all-trades, hems, fells, binds, bastes, tucks, braids and ruffles.
16 It is as simple as any machine in the market.
17 It needs but little time to learn its operation.
18 It has the best embroidering attachment.
19 It sews on straight a piece while puffing another at the same time without basting, attachment or after work.

These advantages combine the best qualities of a sewing machine for the family who want to use it steadily in all kinds of work. Nothing equal can be found in the way of combining the advantages of all the sewing machines now known, while obviating all their faults.

THE FOLLOWING ADVANTAGES
THE AMERICAN

Possesses alone and undisturbed, there being no other machine even pretending them:

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2 It hems any width or thickness, from 1-16 of an inch cambric to 2 inches beaver.
3 It binds a coat, a skirt, or a hat without any braid or binding whatever.
4 It folds up the brim of a hat to any fullness.
5 It overseams a sheet or Brussels carpet.
6 It makes beautiful eyelet work.
7 It embroiders on the edge.
8 It makes buttonholes of any size on any material.
9 It has the braiding machine which makes braid of size or color at the rate of 150 yards per hour. This sells for $10 extra.
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Can be had as a plain sewing machine without the buttonhole and overseaming, at $15 less than the given prices.

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Machines will be sent to any address on receipt of price. Every machine has a full outfit for plain sewing, hemming, &c.

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DELAWARE.

June 18—1y

Select Poetry.

INDIAN SUMMER.

Upon the hills the autumn sun
His radiance pours like golden wine;
And low, sweet music seems to run
Among the tassels of the pine;
Around us rings the wild bird's scream;
Above, an arch of dark blue sky;
While, like a maiden's summer dream,
The mist upon the meadows lie.

O peerless Indian summer hours,
With bracing morn and slumbrous noon!
How pale are June's bright, flaunting flowers
Amid thy wealth of gorgeous bloom.
The river ripples softly on,
With purple hills upon its breast:
And soft cloud-shadows floating down,
Have found a scene of perfect rest.

The evening darkness; from the hills
The glory fades, so proudly worn;
And in the west serenely fills
The fair young moon her silvery horn;
While from the deep'ning blue above
The stars steal slowly, singly forth;
And night winds, like the breath of love,
Come floating o'er the silent earth.

HISTORY OF ST. ANN'S CHURCH.

The Rector, Dr. McCabe, has kindly furnished for publication the following outline of the history of St. Ann's, which possesses much local interest. It is an extract from his sermon delivered October 2d, 1870:

From Humphrey's account of the labors of the Missionaries sent from England, by "the Society for the Propagation of Christianity in foreign parts," I find the following: "The inhabitants of Appoquinimink were so zealous as to build a convenient church about the year 1705, long before they had any settled minister. They used to be sometimes visited by the Rev. Mr. Sewell, from Maryland, and Mr. Wanford, the Society's Missionary in Dover Hundred. They applied to the Society for a Missionary, and the Rev. Mr. Jenkins was appointed to that place. Upon his arrival he found the people much scattered in their settlements; and New Castle Town, which was then vacant, being settled closer and more commodious, he officiated there for sometime at first, but soon after by direction of the Society, returned to his own cure of Appoquinimink. However, during his stay at New Castle he was not neglectful of his duty. At his return to Appoquinimink in 1708, he drew together a large congregation of about 200 persons, who were, for the most part, very consistent hearers. He had 13 communicants the first time he administered the Lord's supper. He wrote to the Society that "the people were so earnest in Religion, that about 20 persons had discoursed with him in order for their due instruction, and were preparing themselves against the next administration of the Lord's supper, and also that a great many grown persons were preparing themselves to receive the Holy Baptism, and that he hoped soon to be able to send over a joyful account of his farther success in his labors."—But, five months after, he died, and was exceedingly regretted by all who were acquainted with his merits, and especially by his parishioners. The Vestry of his parish wrote this concerning him: "He died to our unspeakable grief and loss, and we must do that justice to his memory as to assure the Honorable Society that he behaved himself in all respects, both as to his doctrine and life, as became the sacred character he bore, and God did so bless his labors here, that before he died, he saw our Church in a flourishing condition."

That, as we perceive, was 162 years ago.

"The Society," says Humphrey, "did not send a missionary thither for a considerable time, on account of being engaged to support other missions to the extent of their funds; however, the people were not quite destitute. They were occasionally visited by the Rev. Mr. Byork, a Swedish minister, who came from Christina Creek, on Delaware river, to perform Divine service once a month. They were visited, also, by the Rev. Mr. Club, but oftener by Mr. Ross, from New Castle, and some other missionaries. But the clergy there, in the year 1715, with much earnestness represented to the Society that the state of several places in that Province was deplorable. Many churches which were once filled with considerable numbers of communicants, whose early zeal had led them, though poor, to erect those decent structures for the service of God, and at some of them to build commodious houses for the reception of their ministers, were, through a long vacancy by the death or removal of the Missionaries, quite desolate; and great opportunities were given for the sincere members of the church to be seduced to errors, especially the people of Appoquinimink, and of all Bucks, Kent, and Sussex counties. They assured they had done the utmost they could in their circumstances to keep those congregations together by dividing the care of them among themselves, and visiting them sometimes on week days, and baptizing their children, and instructing their youth, but the great distance from their fixed cures, rendered the service out of measure difficult." "The Society moved with the representation, sent the Rev. Mr. Merry, Missionary to Appoquinimink, but upon account of some difficulties in the Mission, he did not settle there, but after a short stay in those parts returned to England. The Rev. Mr. Campbell was afterward sent missionary here, but left and went to Brookhaven."

Here ends the quotation from Humphrey. The next appointment by the Society was Rev. Mr. Hackett, who died in 1733, and his tomb stands in the church yard of Immanuel Church, New Castle. The last minister sent by the Society was the Rev. Mr. Reading, who, after laboring faithfully for many years in the Parish, died in 1778, and his tomb, now nearly one hundred years since erected, stands in a good condition of preservation to the right of the Church porch. I presume a period of some years elapsed before the Church had regular service, for I can find no other name as Rector, with the exception of Mr. Bissett, in 1791, and Mr. Dashiel, who officiated here in 1794, until the accession of Rev. Mr. Reese, in 1802, who held the Rectorship for six years, and was succeeded by the Rev. Lyon Davis, who remained until 1822, and was again Rector in 1832. The list stands as follows: Reese, Davis, Smith, Willer, Robinson, McKenny, Coleman, Peck, Bauman, J. H. Tyng, D'Ozaune, Freeman, Harrold, Billopp, Goldsborough, Brown, McCabe. Of these, since 1802, seventeen in all, eight are living,—the rest, gone to that place where those who sow in tears here, shall reap in joy. Their record and their reward stand, we trust, in the book of Divine remembrance for good, and we believe "they are without fault before the throne of God."

I have thought it expedient to refer to the history of this Parish for a period of 165 years, because so few of the present generation are acquainted with it. The present Church of St. Ann's, though doubtless more than one hundred years old, was never consecrated until 1847, twenty-three years since, during the time the Rev. Andrew Freeman was Rector.

For the Middletown Transcript.

MR. EDITOR:—Will you allow me as an humble member of the Democratic party, a small space in your valuable paper, to return my thanks to those bold, brave, honest men, who formerly belonged to the Republican party, for their support of the Democratic White Man's Ticket, in this Hundred, on the 4th inst. I feel proud of such men, and history will record their names among the saviours of their country, and children yet unborn will rise up and call them blessed. How any respectable white man could or did vote any other than the Conservative ticket on that day, is beyond my estimate of the white race for self government. That they should be willing to embrace such a horde of ignorant negroes as was assembled at that election led on by two such miserable creatures as had them in charge, is a mystery to me. All the most respectable portion of the party kept on the other side of the street, not wishing to be identified with them or offer them (the negroes) any civilities, but many of them voted after their colored brethren were through, notwithstanding many of them denounced the whole thing as an outrage. There were a great many of both parties absent who will be called upon to vote on the 8th of November next. Many of the Republicans were of the most substantial, intelligent and wealty members of that party. Will they, on that day, suffer themselves to be manipulated by such miserable tools as conducted the last election, to vote the negro ticket and bring everlasting disgrace and shame upon themselves and their families; for, recollect, there is a legislative branch on the ticket to be voted for, the nominees of which are of the very blackest negro stripe, and just as sure as they are elected your free schools will be filled with negro children; then farewell to the education of the children of the poor white man, for his children will be driven out, for the two races will not agree to mingle together in schools, churches, or anywhere else. Now permit me, in conclusion, to exhort all conservative white men, rich or poor, to reflect, (for there is yet time between now and election day) how much mischief they may do by contributing by their votes to elect a Legislature that will bring such a calamity upon their race. I have nothing to say in opposition to educating negro children, but I do say, give them schools by themselves. The negroes young and old, have the best sympathies of my heart, but I am not weak enough to set up my judgment against the decrees of God, which are irrevocable, and which have said of the negro, "a servant of servants shall he be." And now, of those who are determined, like Ephraim, to be "joined to their idols," I say "let them alone."

CONSERVATIVE.

A nice jelly may be made by taking about two-thirds of the quince cores, all the parings with some of the apple cores and skins; boil in just enough water to cover until a pulp; flavoring with a little ginger and orange rind. To one pint of juice when strained through flannel, add one pound of white sugar; simmer a few minutes and strain into glasses. This is not an expensive preserve and keeps well.

A country apothecary, not a little distinguished for his impudence, in the hope of disconcerting a young clergyman whom he knew to be a man of singular modesty, asked him, in the presence of a large company, at a public assembly, "Why did the patriarchs of old live to such an extreme age?" To which the clergyman replied, "I suppose the ancient patriarchs took no physic."

A man who had borrowed a sack of a neighbor to go to mill with, was knocked into the water and drowned, and the bag lost. When the news was brought to his bereaved wife, she exclaimed, "My gracious, what a fuss'll be made now about that sack!"

DEATH OF GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE.

General Robert E. Lee breathed his last at 9.30 o'clock on Wednesday morning, Oct. 12, of congestion of the brain, at Lexington, Va. aged 63 years, and 23 days.

Robert Edward Lee was the son of "Light Horse Harry," of the revolutionary war. The family arrived in Virginia in 1666, and settled on the nothern neck. Thomas, a grandson of the first immigrant, was President of the Virginia Council, a great explorer, and sanguine of the future of the country. His son, Richard Henry, was a member of the first Continental Congress, and moved the resolution of Independence, June, 7, 1776. He and his brother, Francis Lightfoot, were signers of the declaration in Phila. Light Horse Harry was a cavalry officer of much dash, and received a medal and the thanks of Congress for his services. He married a daughter of Philip Ludwell Lee, served two terms in Congress; was Governor of Virginia; married Anne Carter for his second wife, of whom he had Robert Edward Lee for his second son, born at Stratford in 1806.

The early life of the son was spent at home. He entered West Point in 1825, and belonged to the class of which Joseph E. Johnston and O. McK. Mitchell were members. He graduated in course, second in honors and without a demerit. He Was attached to the topographical engineers and appointed brevet second lieutenant in July, 1829. Up to 1835 he was stationed at various forts, and in that year ordered as assistant astronomer to run the boundary between Ohio and Michigan. He married a daughter of George W. P. Custis in 1832, and received Arlington House, and White House, on the Pamunky, with her. In 1836 he was made first lieutenant and in 1838 captain; was assigned to General Wool's staff as chief engineer when the Mexican war broke out, and held the post under Scott. For his conduct at Cerro Gordo in April, 1847, he was breveted major, breveted again in August for Contreras and Cherubusco, and once more for Chapultepec in September, when he was wounded in the assault. General Scott frequently mentioned him with praise. He was made a member of the Board of Engineers at the close of the war, and held that position until 1850; was ordered as Superintendent of West Point in 1852; detached by promotion to be lieutenant and colonel of the 2d cavalry, commanded by Albert Sydney Johnston, and employed in Texas. He was made colonel of the 1st cavalry March 16, 1861. The history of General Lee for ten years past is so well known that anything like a sketch of his life during that time is rendered unnecessary. General Lee has left a name that will endure. He was a man of commanding presence, stately and reserved manners, and great pride, but popular beyond any southern leader save Jackson. The family of General Lee have consented to his interment by the State in Hollywood Cemetery, at Richmond.

WORTH REMEMBERING.

Avoid contradiction. A spirit of contradiction is always particularly hateful. If there is anything especially despicable, it is the man who is continually arguing and contradicting. Such a person is a public nuisance, and our law-makers ought to enact a law to "abate" him. He is never happy himself, and no one can be comfortable with him. He would be in the anguish of torment if any one *should* happen to be undisturbed by his perverseness.

You cannot venture upon remarking that it is a fine day without running the risk of being contradicted and argued with for an hour or two, to be proved wrong at last.

I was once travelling on a steamer in company with a young couple of my acquaintance, who had recently agreed to undertake life's journey together. The gentleman was one of those individuals whose business it is to watch everything that every one says in order to be ready with his contradiction.

We were passing a little village set in among the hills, and the lady made the observation, in a carless way—"That is Hilldale, I believe."

"Hilldale? no *indeed*," said her companion, cresting himself like a cock turkey: "that is Dellville! How could you make such a mistake? I've been in these parts before, and I know."

The young lady colored—but maintained her assertion. The gentleman appeared astonished that she scould dare anything of the kind, and went on with an argument too long to write down, to convince her that she was wrong. She kept a dignified silence, and by-and-by he finished, having, I suppose he thought, settled the question as to the name of the place forever.

The young lady dismissed him shortly afterwards, and I cannot help thinking that his spirit of contradiction helped on the result.

As for myself, I was curious enough to take pains to ascertain the correct name of the village in question, and found to my horror and amazement that it was neither Hilldale nor Dellville—but Scratch Gravel Corner!

GOOD ADVICE.—Halls Journal of Health says. "If a man can sleep soundly, has a good appetite, with no unpleasant reminders after meals, the bodily habits being regular every day, he had better let himself alone, whether he is as big as a hogshead or as thin and dry as a fence rail."

Wit and Humor.

A BIG YARN ABOUT SNAKES.

A writer in the Cincinnati Chronicle says:—Abijah C. a very worthy old man, and one of the early pioneers of Southern Ohio, when relating some of his adventures of his early pioneer life to a crowd of eager listeners (for all who know him love to hear the old man talk,) often gets off some rather tough yarns. One he tells—although a "stunner" he is willing to vouch for its truthfulness—is about an adventure he once had on the prairies of Illinois. The story runs as follows (I will give it as near as possible in his own language):

"Ha! young man, you talk about your hunting adventures and snake stories; if you'd seen the sights I have in my young days, then you might talk. I'll relate to you an adventure I once had with rattlesnakes on the prairies of Illinois:

It is now nigh on to forty years ago when I went out there to take a look at the country and enter some government land. In the course of my travels I had occassion to cross a piece of prairie that I was told by hunters was full of rattlesnakes. But, nothing daunted, I first took the precaution of wrapping long prairie grass round my legs, from the ankles up, and then started in. I soon stirred them up lively, and then war begun. Whenever one would strike at me, it would get its fangs fast in the grass round my legs; then, with my bowie-knife, I would quietly whack off its head. After I got across I thought I would count heads, and, boys, believe it or not, there were just one hundred and ninety-nine rattlesnakes heads hanging to my legs."

BUSINESS AND BIBLES.—Several years ago, I was practicing law in one of the many beautiful towns of Wisconsin. One warm day, while seated in my office at work, I was interrupted by the entrance of a boy, the son of one of my clients, who had walked into town, six miles, in a blazing sun, for the purpose of procuring a Bible. He had been told, he said, that there was a place there where they gave them away to the people who had no money; he said he had no money, and was very anxious to get one of the good books, and asked me to go with him to the place where they were kept. Anxious to encourage him in his early piety, I left the brief on which I was engaged and went over with him to the stand of an old Presbyterian deacon who had the much coveted books in charge. I introduced him to the deacon, telling him the circumstances. He praised the boy highly; was delighted to see a young man so early seeking after the truth, and presented him with a copy of the best bound Bible in his collection. He put it in his pocket, and was starting off, when the deacon says:

"Now, my son, that you possess what you so much desired, I suppose that you feel perfectly happy?"

"Well, I do, old hoss; for between you and I, I know were I can trade it for a plaguey good fiddle."

A Bachelor had the blues, and applied to a doctor for some medicine. The doctor inquired into his case and wrote a prescription in Latin, which the bachelor took to a drug store. Translated, the prescription read, "Seventeen yards of silk with a woman in it." After the druggist got through laughing, he read the prescription to the bachelor who proposed to a lady that evening, and was married in two weeks.

A Mrs. Hannah Jones piously raised a tablet to the memory of the departed Jones, who had been a hosier, the inscription on which, after recording his many virtues wound up with the following couplet:

"He left his hose, his Hannah, and his love,
To go and sing hosannah in the realms above."

A victim of unrequited affection, concludes as follows:

"I sat me down and thought profound;
This maxim wise I drew:
It's easier far to like a girl
Than make a girl like you."

"No, my dear," said a mother to her daughter who had been taking a nap before dressing for a party, "you needn't rearrange your hair. You couldn't make it look rougher if you did."

A little boy having broken his rocking-horse the day it was bought, his mamma began to scold, when he silenced her by inquiring, "What is the good of a horse till it's broke?"

At Wamego, a place in the extreme West, is a shanty which bears the sign: "Here's Where You Get a Meal Like Your Mother Used to Give You."

Why use three words, "double clog dance," when one "quoterpsichoranotlegopedalitysion," would do just as well?"

"Is that clock right over there?" asked a visitor the other day. "Yes right over there?" said the boy.

A man who took a drink from a bottle of mucilage says he he has felt "stuck up ever since.

A Prussian squad called on a French miller to grind some flour, but he only bolted.

Correspondence of the Middletown Transcript.

NEW CASTLE, DEL. Oct. 13th, 1870.

MR. EDITOR:—News, except of a political character, is very scarce, and business uncommonly dull; in fact, our town some days presents quite a Sunday-like appearance; but this state of affairs will not long continue, for the near approach of Court, and the political meetings which will undoubtedly be held between this and the 8th of November, will have a tendency to enliven our citizens and cause business to brisk up a little.

Our farmers are done seeding, and the copious rains which have fallen within the last day or two cause them to wear very cheerful countenances.

A protracted meeting is in progress in the M. E. Church, which will continue two or three weeks, and no doubt much good will be done, the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Walton, being an able speaker, and a gentleman who not only professes, but acts the christian.

Our schools are, to use a vulgar expression, in full blast. And through the unremitting exertions of the Principal and his corps of efficient teachers, the children are making rapid progress. The schools, as a consequence, bid fair at no distant day to be second to none in the State.

The Cleaver Brothers have purchased the coal yard of George Janvier, Esq. and are prepared to supply our citizens with a first rate article at the lowest market rates.

The colored school, which was in such a flourishing condition some months since, and which contained some of the most intelligent and brightest pupils of our town, according to the views of some of their Radical friends, has been closed for some time for want of a teacher; there was an effort made immediately after it was closed, to have the colored children admitted to the white schools, but that little game was blocked "instanter."

One of our citizens has been appointed to a first class clerkship in the Census Bureau at Washington, and left for the scene of his labors on Wednesday. We wish him success in his new vocation.

The little election passed off very quietly in this Hundred, and resulted in a glorious majority for the white man's ticket. There was less noise and rowdyism exhibited on that day than is general, and as for intimidation towards colored voters, there was none of it, radical reports to the contrary notwithstanding. Indeed, it was disgusting to see the hobnobbing and fawning upon the dirtiest, most miserable looking negroes, by certain officials of this Hundred, to secure their votes; how they, as soon as they arrived in town, were buttonholed by these white men, and lagged off up some alley, and there given tickets and posted as to what answers they should make if they were challenged. Bah! it was sickening. So certain were the Rads of success, that some of their sable brethren went to the pains of hunting up some torches and taking them to the tin shops for repair, in order to have them in readiness for a torch light procession in the evening to celebrate their victory. But after the votes were counted out and the result was known, they made themselves scarce. In the language of one of the coons the Rads did'nt make very good "calkalations." Our majority was 129, and in November you may set us down good for 200. H.

WORTH KNOWING.—If brooms are wet in boiling suds once a week, they will become very tough, will not cut the carpet, last much longer, and always sweep like a new broom. A very dusty carpet may be cleaned by setting a pail of cold water out by the door, wet the broom in it, knock it to get off all the drops, sweep a yard or so, then wash the broom as before, and sweep again, being careful to shake all the drops off the broom, and not sweep far at a time. If done with care, it will clean a carpet very nicely, and you will be surprised at the quantity of dirt in the water. The water may need changing once or twice, if the carpet is very dirty. Moistened Indian meal is used with good effect by some housekeepers, and salt by others.

TO CURE COLIC.—To cure colic in horses, take a piece of carpet, blanket, or any thick material, large enough to cover the horse from his fore to his hind legs, and from the spine to the floor as he lies, wring it out in hot water as hot as you can stand. You need not fear scalding the animal. Apply this to the horse, and cover it with a similar dry cloth. As soon as the heat diminishes much, dip the wet cloth again in hot water. This plan will within an hour cure the worst cases of colic.—*American Stock Journal.*

Reader, were you ever afflicted with disagreeable neighbors, prying into the affairs of your family, meddling with your domestics, telling them they work too hard and don't get sufficient wages; that they "wouldn't do it to save their lives," that you are "proud," and "stuck up," with many similar expressions familiar only to ignorant, low-bred people. Every community has more or less of such envious cattle, who are not really worth minding, for they have been trained to nothing better.

"Gentlemen of the jury, in this case the counsel on both sides are unintelligible; the witnesses on both sides are incredible; and the plaintiff and defendant are both such bad characters that to me it is indifferent which way you give your verdict.

The Middletown Transcript

MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 22, 1870.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

FOR GOVERNOR.

JAMES PONDER.

FOR CONGRESS.

BENJAMIN T. BIGGS.

NEW CASTLE COUNTY TICKET.

SENATORS.

Leonard G. Vandegrift, of St. George's Hundred.
Dr. Allen V. Lockey, of New Castle Hundred.

REPRESENTATIVES.

Lot Cloud, of Brandywine Hundred.
J. Poulson Chandler, of Christiana Hundred.
Aquilla Derrickson, of Mill Creek Hundred.
Benjamin Caulk, of White Clay Creek Hundred.
Sorell C. Biggs, of Pencader Hundred.
Albert O. Newton, of Red Lion Hundred.
Francis T. Perry, of Appoquinimink Hundred.
Sheriff.—James Armstrong.
Coroner.—Daniel B. Woodward.

LEVY COURT COMMISSIONERS.

David Graves, for Mill Creek Hundred.
Levi Ruth, for White Clay Creek Hundred.
William R. Bright, for Red Lion Hundred.
S. P. Shallcross, for St. George's Hundred.
William N. Wilson.
Alexander Denkyne, Appoquinimink Hundred.

BAYONETS AT THE POLLS.

It is announced that Marshal Dunn, of this State, has signified his purpose, under authority from Washington, to send United States soldiers, on the day of the ensuing election, into Mispillion and Appoquinimink Hundreds. Perhaps he may conclude to send them to other parts of the State also. What is the reason of this extraordinary proceeding? No man, with the slightest regard for the truth, will pretend that there has been any violence offered to voters here, or that there is likely to be any. "What then is the cause?" asks the *Delaware Gazette*, and answers the question as follows:—"*The Radical party in Delaware are in a desperate strait.*" Yes, that is it, and the object is intimidation. "Let them come," says the *Gazette*, "the result will be the same,—a white man's victory, universal and complete." All the more complete, it might have added, for this puerile and sickly attempt at intimidation of freemen. Do they suppose that the Democrats of Delaware have parted with their manhood? If they do, they will be undeceived, for while as a party the Democrats will violate no law, they will pay no more attention to the presence of these soldiers than if they were so many citizens.

President Grant and his Marshals and their advisers, ought to have enough of this business of sending soldiers to the polls. They tried it, in North Carolina, and the result was a most signal defeat. And it is to be hoped that they will meet with as pointed a rebuke in Alabama, Missouri, Maryland, New York and Delaware, where the experiment is to be tried over again. That administration deserves only the most ineffable scorn and contempt which is capable of resorting to such expedients to control elections, and every right-thinking man ought to rebuke such an unwarrantable stretch of power by casting his ballot against it.

"Radicalism cannot give up power," continues the *Gazette*. "It has abolished and destroyed the fundamental principles of the government, to maintain its dominion after the people have signified their disgust, and withdrawn their support. It has employed every device of legislation, and used every invention of administrative ingenuity to retain without open violence its presence in the government, and now that these are exhausted, bayonets and loaded rifles are brought into requisition. No intelligent person needs to be informed that this is in direct and open violation of the Constitution of the United States, and a flagrant outrage upon the first principles of free republican government. The sole justification which Radicalism pleads for this outrage, is the authority of an Act of Congress passed at the last session, which besides being in itself unconstitutional and tyranous, when examined is found to contain no such authority as is claimed. Despite its outrageous defiance of the rights of States to control their elections, it does not permit a United States Marshal to send troops into a State, unless first resistance be made to the process or warrants of arrest issued by U. S. Commissioners."

Freemen of Delaware, we trust and believe that you will utter your indignant protest against the employment of an armed soldiery at the polls, by depositing your ballot against the Radical party. Remember, that this interference with your elections is for the negro. The next step may be the employment of the soldiery for the enforcement of Sumner's equality bill, or some other equally obnoxious measure. Now is your opportunity to rebuke these encroachments upon your rights by a reckless Congress and a no less reckless administration.

It may be interesting to the originators of this outrage, be they whom they may, to know that its commission as an offence against the peace and dignity of this State, is deemed a felony, and is most severely punished. Chapter 326 Section 1. of Vol. 12, Del. Laws, page 361, entitled "An Act to secure the freedom of Elections in this State," provides:

"That if any person being a citizen or inhabitant of this State, shall send or cause to be sent, bring or cause to be brought into this State, or shall aid, abet, procure, advise, counsel, or in any manner assist in sending or bringing into this State any armed soldier or soldiers to be present at any voting place in this State or within five miles thereof on the day of any general, special or other election hereafter to be holden in this State, or shall aid, abet, procure, advise, counsel or in any manner assist the presence or attendance of any armed soldier or soldiers at any such voting place, or within five miles thereof on any such day, every person so offending shall be guilty of felony, and upon conviction thereof by indictment shall forfeit and pay to the State a fine not less than one thousand dollars and not more than ten thousand dollars, and shall be imprisoned for a term not less than one nor more than five years, and shall forever thereafter be incapable of exercising the right of suffrage in this State."

Section 2, of the same Chapter prescribes the same penalty for any citizen or inhabitant of the State who "shall aid, abet, procure, advise, counsel, or in any manner assist or be guilty of military interference in any manner with the freedom of any election in this State."

This law will be righteously and rigorously enforced, should occasion require, and it is well for those who are in danger of incurring its penalties to be aware of its existence.

Speaking of the presence of U. S. Marines at the 5th ward polls at the late election in Philadelphia, the New York World says the laws of Congress authorize a Marshal to call on the military to sustain him in the execution of legal process issued by a civil magistrate. But no law, in England or America, ever authorized the military to invade an election district, without any process from any magistrate. "It is an offence of the gravest and most heinous character against the liberties of the people, for which no law affords any pretext." It is pure and unadulterated military despotism exercised by the Grant Administration, nothing less.

THE EFFECT OF THE NEGRO POLICY ON EDUCATION.—By forcing negro equality in the schools the Radical party has broken up the State Universities of North Carolina and Alabama, white students refusing and negroes failing to attend. The ruin of the Mississippi University comes next. There are but seventy students this year, against two hundred last, and having been menaced with negro disciples, the faculty threaten to resign. Thus the bitter fruits of Radicalism begin to show themselves all over the land.

LOOK AT THIS.—Sumner's Equality Bill, passed at the last session of Congress, makes it a penal offence to refuse negroes admission into churches, theatres, hotels, public conveyances, cemeteries, schools, etc. on terms of perfect equality with the white race. A vote for Heald is a vote in its favor. A vote for Biggs is a vote against it. A vote for Coursey and the Republican ticket, is a vote to introduce this policy of negro equality into Delaware.

The cause of Secretary Cox's resignation is said to be a refusal, on his part, to allow the clerks in his department to be assessed so much per capita to raise a fund for electioneering purposes, which brought him into disfavor. This very reprehensible practice is carried to such lengths, now-a-days, as to absorb a very large proportion of the salaries of the clerks in the several departments.

THE NOVEMBER ELECTIONS.—In November there will be elections in sixteen States, viz:—November 7, Arkansas and Louisiana, November 8, Alabama, Florida, Kansas, Illinois, Maryland, Delaware, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nevada, New York, New Jersey, Wisconsin.

Chief Justice Chase, in consequence of continued ill health, will not be able to take his seat on the reassembling of the Supreme Court at Washington.

The people paid nine millions five hundred thousand dollars of internal revenue tax collectors in 1869, about five per cent on the amount collected.

CABINET CHANGES.—It is worthy of note, says the Philadelphia Record, that, with the retirement of Mr. Cox, but a single one of the entire array of cabinet officers originally appointed by General Grant now remains. Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, gave way, as secretary of state, to Mr. Fish, of New York. Mr. Stewart, of New York, gave way, as secretary of the treasury, to Mr. Boutwell, of Massachusetts. General Rawlins, of Illinois, gave way as secretary of war, to General Belknap, of Iowa. Mr. Borie, of Pennsylvania, gave way, as secretary of the navy, to Mr. Robeson, of New Jersey. General Cox, of Ohio, has given way, as secretary of the interior, probably to Mr Delano, of the same state. Judge Hoar, of Massachusetts, gave way, as attorney general, to Mr. Ackerman, of Georgia. Mr. Creswell, of Maryland, the postmaster general is the only officer who has retained his seat in the cabinet, although only a little more than twenty months have elapsed since the original ministry was appointed. At this rate it is no wonder that rumors are rife of other cabinet changes, and that it is regarded as more than possible that the cabinet will undergo another entire transformation and reconstruction before the present term of the administration is ended. General Grant on coming into power, declared that if his officers and subordinates were not what he wished, or were not suited to their places, he would appoint others, but we were hardly prepared to take him so literally at his word as the event has shown we must do. Regarding the numerous changes under Mr. Johnson's administration, and those which have already occurred under his successor, we may conclude that there are few places, even in the fluctuations of American political life, so veriable and uncertain as a cabinet position.

DEMOCRATIC GAINS.

There has been so much misrepresentation by the telegraph, and otherwise, concerning the late elections, that we present the following summing up of the result, from various sources, putting our readers in possession of the facts as they have subsequently been made public.

In all the States where elections have taken place this fall, large Democratic gains are reported. This is the fact, even in the face of a heavy negro vote polled for the Radicals. Pennsylvania leads the column in this gratifying and cheering movement towards a restoration of the old Democratic condition of affairs. In Philadelphia the falling off of the white vote of the Radicals exceeds five thousand, and if the full Democratic strength had been polled, the Democratic tickets would have been chosen, despite of negro aid in the contest. The State has done well in the election of Congressmen. Although it is gerrymandered in such a manner as to aid and assist the Radicals in a most material degree, still many of their leading men are defeated, and the delegation to Congress made far more Democratic. The gains in the Legislature are also sufficient to improve the character of that body and prevent much of the corruption which is a certain attendant upon unchecked Radical supremacy. Later returns from the Pennsylvania election make it certain that the Democratic majority on the Congressional vote is over 8,000. As about 15,000 negroes voted for the first time, this is equivalent to a Democratic majority of 23,000 of the white voters of the State—a Democratic gain of over 50,000 on the Presidential vote of two years ago, when Grant had 28,898 majority. The Congressional delegation stands 12 Republicans, 11 Democrats, and 1 Independent Republican.

There has also been a material change in the vote of Ohio. Although carried by the Radicals the majority indicates the disaffection which exists among the people with reference to the action of General Grant and the Radical party. The majority for General Grant was forty-five thousand. Since the negroes have become voters, and the full policy of the administration in regard to the internal policy of the country has been developed, the current of public opinion has changed, until at the present time the State will show but fifteen thousand Radical majority on the general ticket. This revolution is most marked and significant. Schenck, the head and front of the Radical leaders in the State, is defeated for Congress: and also McClurg. The State ticket of the Radicals was composed of strong men, and this makes the revolution the more outspoken as a condemnation of the measures of the Radical party. In the Thirteenth District of Ohio the majority for General Morgan for Congress is 2,147—a Democratic gain of 513 since 1868.

Heavy gains in the interior of Indiana gave that State to the Democrats at the recent election. The majority will reach twenty-five hundred. Perhaps, three thousand. The Senate is a tie. In the House of Representatives there will be a Democratic majority of eight. This puts the control and management of State affairs into the hands of the Democrats. Senator Morton worked hard to avert this result. His mission to England depended upon a Radical triumph. He has lost the odd trick, and will remain in Washington. For Congress, the Democrats have done well, making several gains in the State. The Democrats of Indianapolis had a grand jubilee over the Indiana victory on Saturday night. Ex-Senator Hendricks, Mr. Voorhees, Mr. Niblack, and others made speeches.

In Iowa, the Radicals have also lost on the popular vote. More than ten thousand honest citizens have left that organization in a single year, disgusted with the venality and corruption of its leaders. The Congressional Delegation from this State will remain unchanged. On the popular vote the verdict of condemnation from the people is to be seen.

Returns from Nebraska indicate the re-election of Governor Butler, by about 2,000, and Taffe, Radical, for Congress, by about 2,500 majority. The entire Radical State ticket is elected. The majority for Governor Butler in 1868 was 4,290. This shows the same falling off in the Radical vote which is exhibited in all the other States.

The result of the late elections is a plain, unmistakenble condemnation of the administration of General Grant, and the corruptions and venality of the Radical policy, and as such it forshadows the downfall of the party in power. Even the negro vote cannot avert such a desired consummation.

The fortifications of Paris were constructed in the reign of Louis Philippe. They consist of a bastioned and terraced wall, faced with masonry, and surrounded by a ditch of a breadth varying from 60 to 195 feet. The general outline is of an irregular oval form, nearly 22 miles in circumference, and enclosing an area of 10,271 acres, or 80 miles, and a population 1,500,000 persons. The axis of the oval from north to south is 6,700 yards, and that from east to west is 12,347 yards. Around the enceinte or circuit of the wall are 94 angular forts, with areas of about 338 square yards each. There are besides 17 casement fortresses, located at the principal approaches, and connected by sunken roads. Inside the wall a carriageway is laid out, and also a circular railway, connecting all the railroad lines running into Paris. At various points of the walls there are 65 entrances, of which 51 are gates, 10 are railway arches, and 4 are posterns.

The French army has several women surgeons, and it is said they can take off a limb so nicely that a man enojys it after he gets accustomed to it. No man who has ever had a couple of legs cut off by a woman will ever aftewards allow a man to out a leg off for him, if he can help it.

About Waterloo, Iowa, this year they have two successive crops of potatoes, tomatoes, beans, lettuce, cucumbers and grapes.

LOCAL AND STATE AFFAIRS.

NEWARK, Oct. 15, 1870.

At a meeting of the Democracy of White Clay Creek Hundred, held this Saturday evening, 15th inst. at the hotel of A. A. Lewis, Mr. Wm. Reynolds was called to the Chair, and W. L. Weir appointed Secretary. A committee on business reported the object of the meeting to be the arrangement for a grand mass meeting of the citizens of this and adjoining Hundreds, in the town of Newark, on Thursday, October 27, 1870. Unanimously adopted. And the Chair, on motion, appointed committees on speaker's stand, grounds, music, parade, finance, &c. Resolved to raise a fund to defray all monies for expenses, and not to tax visitors. The speaker's committee instructed to procure the kind services of Messrs. T. F. Bayard, Eli Saulsbury, B. T. Biggs, W. G. Whiteley, C. B. Lore and George Gray. Parade committee to secure 300 horses, besides wagons, &c. innumerable. The Democratic Press requested to publish the foregoing. Adjourned.

WM. REYNOLDS, Chairman.

Attest, WM. L. WEIR, Sec.

The Democratic meeting at Odessa, on Wednesday evening, was largely attended. The meeting was organized by appointing H. Vandeford, President; Capt. James Kanely and Lorenzo D. Ginn, Vice Presidents, and J. T. Wilson, Sec. The President introduced Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, to the meeting, who was received with enthusiastic applause, and entertained his auditors for two hours in an able address upon the issues of the present canvass. The democracy of Appoquinimink and St. Georges Hundreds were present in force, with wagons and torches, and bells, and the Odessa Brass Band enlivened the occasion with its spirit-stirring airs. The stand was beautifully decorated, and the windows of the Hotel illuminated. The residence of Richard W. Cochran, Esq. between this town and Odessa, was also illuminated from top to bottom, and made a very handsome appearance. A number of ladies in the parlor, of the Hotel, in the rear of the speaker's stand, were attentive listeners.

The Fall term of the U. S. Circuit Court commenced in the City Hall, Wilmington, on Tuesday morning, Judges Strong and Hall on the bench. The case of the State of Delaware against the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company was presented, and the Court fixed Wednesday, the 26th instant, for hearing the arguments in the case. The trial of the indictment against John Peterson for murder and piracy commenced in the afternoon. He was acquitted of murder, but convicted of piracy, in running away with the sloop Achilles, fined one dollar, and imprisoned five years.

DESECRATION OF THE SABBATH.—Eleven men, carpenters and tinners, were arrested in Wilmington by the police on Sunday last, for working on the roof of the Post Office, sawing, and hammering to the great annoyance of the worshippers in the five or six churches in the vicinity. They refused to desist, at the request of the Mayor, and when arrested showed a despatch from Washington ordering the work. They were held in $100 bail, each, for appearance at Court in November.

It is alleged that the mail agents on the Delaware Railroad have not time to assort the mail matter between Wilmington and Middletown, hence much of it is often taken down the road and returned in the next train. We don't know, but it seems to us that this excuse is not a valid one for the detention of the mail matter upon the trains, which frequently works inconvenience to the public.

Democratic White Men's Meetings were held at Vandyke's Store, in Appoquinimink Hundred, on Wednesday evening, and at Taylor's Bridge, yesterday evening. Similar meetings will be held, next week, at Fieldsborough, Wednesday evening, Oct. 26th; Townsend, Friday evening, Oct. 28th; Blackbird, Wednesday evening, Nov. 2d; Vandyke's Store, Friday, Nov. 4th, at 7 P. M.

Talbot county is ahead, on the potato question. the St. Michaels Comet having received one weighing 6½ lbs., Mr. Wm. C. Skinner, of Ferry Neck, who cultivated the Yam, as long and as thick as a man's forearm, said to say, jocularly, that by putting his ear to his potato hills he could hear the potatoes crowding and saying to each other "lay further."

"A Talbot contemporary, the St. Michaels Comet, comes to us with the announcement that in Caroline county "corn has turned out badly, and potatoes are not of much account," and immediately below inserts the following:—"Try English Female Bitters." What effect these bitters will have upon corn and potatoes, it does not state.

The vacancies on the "bolter's ticket," in Kent, have been filled as follows:—For Representative, Geo. H. Raymond, in the place of J. C. Stockley, Dr. Thomas C. Rodgers, in place of Samuel B. Cooper; Peter Campbell and John H. Dunning, for Levy Court, in place of Wm. H. Hobson, and Robert J. Beswick.

BREACH OF TRUST.—An agent engaged in selling sewing machines for Mr. Patron, No. 511 King street, ran away a few days ago, with about $500 in money, and also the horse and wagon which were valued at $300. When last heard from he was at Galveston, Texas.

STORING COAL.—The average weight of anthracite coal per cubic foot is 53½ lbs. It will be seen by dividing 2240 by 53½ that 41.80 feet will stow a ton of coal, or in round numbers 42 feet, and a box 6 feet long, 3½ feet wide and 2 feet deep, will hold one ton.

LAND SALE.—George W. Ingram & Co. brokers and real estate agents, have sold for Edward Bayer, Esq. a farm in Kent county, Md., near Sassafras, containing 370 acres, for $24,000, Colonel Joshua Clayton, purchaser.

Messrs. Richardson & Robbins, of Dover, put up during the past season, over 200,000 cans of fruit of different kinds. This amount of fruit will weigh about 300 tons and will require 40 large freight cars to move it.

The Swiss Bell Ringers are to exhibit here, in the Town Hall, on Wednesday evening next. This is an exhibition of a high order of merit, and a musical novelty to many of our citizens, which is bound to draw.

According to the report of Superintendent Walker, of the Census Bureau, Washington, the number of Deaths in this State, for the year ending June 1st, 1870, is 1,558.

An osage orange, grown upon "The Levels," in Appoquinimink Hundred, measures 16½ inches in circumference. The owner wants to know if St. Georges Hundred can beat it.

The parties who employed the Mississippi negro Senator, Revels, to lecture in Wilmington, on Friday night, lost one hundred dollars by the operation. Rather a bad speculation.

Benjamin Johnson, colored, was on Thursday week, in the Sussex County Court, convicted of rape on the person of Charlottee Fletcher. He is sentenced to be hung on Dec. 16th.

Miss Mary Reybold, of Delaware City, a graduate of Vassar College, has been elected a member of the Scientific Association, of Troy, New York.

Col. Samuel Hambleton, of Talbot, Democratic candidate for Congress in the first district of Maryland, paid a brief visit to Middletown on Wednesday last.

WINTER APPROACHING.—A blustering northwester cleared the atmosphere on Tuesday, and Wednesday morning showed us a heavy hoar frost.

A car lock key was picked up in the street, a day or two since. If it is of any importance to the loser, he can have it by calling at this office.

A Democratic meeting will be held at Clayton, this afternoon, to be addressed by Eli Saulsbury, Samuel Townsend and others.

Thomas B. Coursey, the Republican candidate for Governor, who has been lying ill for some time, is recovering.

Bishop Lee will administer the rite of confirmation at St. Ann's, on Sunday, the 30th inst.

Coal is selling in Wilmington, per ton of 2240 lbs. at $6.30 for Egg, and $6.55 for Nut.

500,000 dozen of eggs are shipped annually over the Delaware Railroad.

The colored people are preparing to open a hotel in Milford.

The Vestry of St. Ann's will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

EVENTS OF NEWS.

A little boy in Chicago constructed a large Japanese kite with wings six feet in length, and attached a stout strong twine to the cross piece; on sending it up into the air about two hundred feet, it entered a strong current of wind, which caused the kite to tug violently at the string, and the little fellow to prevent his kite from getting away from him, tied the cord round his rist. The current of air growing stronger, the little fellow was lifted from the ground and carried up in the air about seventy feet. The kite descended a little, and brought him in contact with the chimney of a two-story house, to which he clung, and was rescued from his perilous situation by some spectators by means of a ladder. The next day he was ill from brain fever induced by fright.

The United States steamers, Kansas and Mayflower, sailed from Fortress Monroe on the 14th, with parties appointed by the Secretary of the Navy to make the survey of the Tehuantepec Isthmus, and within a few months, the problem of a ship canal uniting the waters of the Atlantic and Pacific oceans will be solved.

At a meeting of the Cleveland, Ohio, Board of Trade, held last week, resolutions were passed favorable to the early construction of a ship canal, with a capacity equal to the passage of vessels of 1,500 tons burden, to connect Lakes Erie and Ontario. Competent engineers estimate the cost of the proposed work at $5,500,000.

Martinique has followed Algeria in its outbreak against the dominion of France. The natives of Martinique, mostly colored, have proclaimed a republic, and accounts of a conflict between them and the white inhabitants have been announced.

Some question having arisen as to the disposition of Arlington, the estate of the late General Lee, the Washington Star says that it will be retained by the government, as it is held on a tax title, having been bought at a tax sale.

The Canadian authorities continue to seize American fishing vessels for alleged violations of the treaty between the two countries. No notice is taken of the matter by our government.

John Nolen, shot by Alexander Crawford, on the 13th inst. at the instance of Wm. B. Mann, district attorney, in Philadelphia, died the next day. Crawford and Mann have been taken into custody, to await the action of the Grand Jury.

A meteoric stone fell into the barnyard of a Santa Clara (Cal.), farmer the other day, and was so hot that it set fire to the straw and sizzled and hissed like hot iron under the water, which was thrown upon it to extinguish the flames.

A young man in St. Michaels who had been in the habit of peering into sleeping apartments by climbing trees at night was discovered and well beaten whilst plying his vocation.

Internal Revenue Commissioner, Delano, it is said, will succeed Secretary Cox, in the Interior Department, but who is to succeed Delano, is the question now agitating official circles in Washington.

Two female "nines" lately played a base ball match at Rockford, Ill. one side being composed of wives, the other of spinsters. The spinsters won.

The new hammer in the Bessemer steel works, at Harrisburg, Pa. weighs 35,000 pounds. It cost $92,000, and is the largest in the United States.

Captain James Scott, of Green Run Beach, Worcester county, has a tamed wild goose over forty years old. It was caught forty years ago, after its wing had been broken by a shot.

The United States steamer Guerriere has been ordered to cruise around New York bay and harbor to enforce the neutrality proclamation.

A drove of 150 elk were overtaken by hunters in Clay county, Iowa, one day last week. The Nimrods captured twenty-seven of them.

Opium cultivation, as an experiment, having resulted successfully in Vermont, the poppy will be extensively grown there in the future.

Plum wine is the latest novelty in Wisconsin. If wild plums can be utilized in this way they will be much more valuable than heretofore.

W. J. CLARK, who died in Indianapolis last week, was another victim of the National hotel poisoning at Washington, thirteen years ago.

Dr. Hardcastle, of Trappe, Talbot co. cured his chickens of cholera by giving them quinine, last week.

A gray, hump backed whale, forty feet in length, went ashore, a short time since, near San Francisco.

W. P. Lafetra, of Eatontown, N. J. has in his garden strawberry plants upon which, on the 14th, there was ripe fruit.

There is talk of a general rise in freights on all the railways as soon as navigation has closed.

Five hundred women of Ontagamie county, Wisconsin, have worked in the fields as laborers this season.

Florida has gained in population about 60,000 since the census of 1860. This is a rapid increase.

The famous Cashmere goat has been introduced into Nebraska, and is likely to thrive.

Oswego is about to import 100 coolies for stevedores. The mongolians are sure to come.

Colonel Edward Wilkins, of Kent county, has a peacock on his farm, known to be over seventy years of age.

A fine new organ has just been put in St. Mary's Episcopal Church, at North East.

The next census of London, in 1871, it is thought, will show a population of 4,000,000.

Milford, Pa. has seven times as many women as men.

The United States now have about 45,000 miles of railroad.

500,000 dozen of eggs are shipped annually ove the Delaware Railroad.

Her ex-Majesty Isabella of Spain has taken a house at Brighton, England.

The rinderpest has appeared among the cattle in Harford county, Md.

Gen. Beauregard is to be married this winter to a Virginia lady.

Hon. Jefferson Davis arrived at New York, on Tuesday, from Liverpool.

The population of Cecilton is 479.

MARRIED.

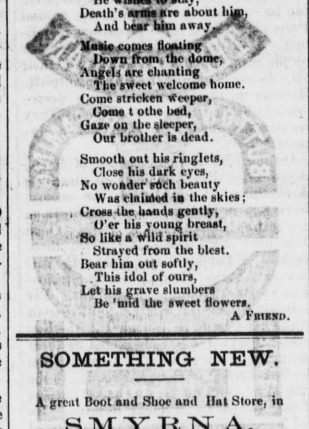
On the 13th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, near St. Georges, Del. by the Rev. J. Crowell, D. D. Mr. D. W. Corbit, of Odessa, Del. and Miss S. C. Higgins, daughter of A. Higgins, Esq., of New Castle county.

DIED.

On Sunday the 16th inst. in Sassafras Neck, Cecil county, Md. Mrs. Rebecca E. Walmsley, consort of Captain J. P. Walmsley, in the 34th year of her age.

At Boston, Mass. Thursday, Oct. 13, 1870, of typhoid fever, Frank W. Cannon, son of John H. and Mary J. Cannon, of Wilmington, Del. formerly of Odessa, Del. aged 21 yrs. and 4 months.

OUR DARLING BROTHER



Close the door gently,
Bridle the breath,
Our dear angel brother
Is talking with death;
Oh! how death wo s him;
He wishes to stay,
Death's arms are about him,
And bear him away.

Music comes floating
Down from the dome,
Angels are chanting
The sweet welcome home.
Come stricken weeper,
Come to the bed,
Gaze on the sleeper,
Our brother is dead.

Smooth out his ringlets,
Close his dark eyes,
No wonder such beauty
Was claimed in the skies;
Cross the hands gently,
O'er his young breast,
So like a wild spirit
Strayed from the blest.
Bear him out softly,
This idol of ours,
Let his grave slumbers
Be 'mid the sweet flowers.

A FRIEND.

SOMETHING NEW.

A great Boot and Shoe and Hat Store, in

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KNOWN AS THE

BEE HIVE,

Where a full line of

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Trunks and Valises,

are kept constantly on hand. I would call the attention of the public to my new store. I have just opened the largest stock Boots and Shoes ever opened by any dealer on this peninsula. My stock embraces Mens Heavy Kip Boots, eighteen and twenty inch legs, double sole and double upper, and tap sole, warranted to turn water.

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Ladies', Misses', and Children's Shoes,

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I make a speciality of Ladies', Misses' and Children's fine wear. You will always find the leading styles. All the leading styles of

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P. S.—I think it would be well for persons in and around Middletown, to come to Smyrna and purchase their Boots, Shoes, Hats, and Furs at the Bee Hive, as I am determined to make it to your advantage. Don't forget this. J. H. P.

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THE MARKETS.

MIDDLETOWN MARKET.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY A. T. BRADLEY.

Wheat, new	1 00@1 20
Corn, yellow	80
" new	65
" white	80
" new	70
Oats, new	40
Timothy Seed	6 25
Clover Seed	9 00
Eggs	25 cts ₱ doz
Butter	35@40 cts. ₱ lb
Lard	20@21 " "
Potatoes	$1 00@1 25 ₱ bushel.

WILMINGTON.

Wheat, prime	$1 25
Corn	1 00
Oats	60
Flour	$6 50@10 00

PHILADELPHIA.

Prime new red wheat	$1 36@1 40
Corn, yellow	80@81
Oats (Pennsylvania)	50
Cloverseed	$8 00
Timothy	$6 00

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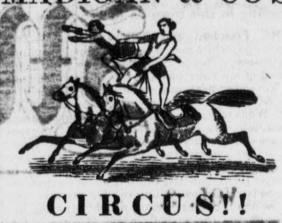

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SPEECH OF HON. B. T. BIGGS.

The following is an extract of the speech of Hon. B. T. Biggs, delivered at the meeting in this town on the 13th inst.

Mr. President and Fellow Citizens:—Two years ago, white men went to the polls against white men. Not an individual voter within the sound of my voice but who has to go to the polls in November next, and stand side by side with the African—the negro race—and deposit his ballot. What party brought that condition of things upon us? Are you prepared to admit negroes on a social equality with the whites? [A voice, no.] Are you prepared to sacrifice your own race? [A voice, no.] Are you prepared, in view of the responsibilities resting on you as fathers, to have the institutions of this country put in the hands of that party which educates negroes on an equality with white children? [A voice, never.] If there is an individual within the sound of my voice who expects me to favor negro equality, suffrage or vote, I pray him go and vote for Mr. Heald and let me alone, for I don't want to deceive any man. The Constitution was established in 1788; 3 years after 10 different amendments were added; in 1794, another amendment; in 1804 another; the Republican party from 1860 have made three; the last being no more nor less than negro suffrage and negro equality. We now have some 1500 National banks, driving out of existence every State bank in the Union. In the distribution of the currency authorized by the Banking Act, New England has $28 per capita; the Middle States $12; the Western States $4; the Southern States 97 cents per capita. New England to-day, governs this Union. Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut have about 2,000,000 inhabitants. The currency allotted them is $86,967,000. Ohio, 2½ millions of inhabitants has $18,000,000 circulation. Look at the frauds which have been committed in the Internal Revenue Department. A resolution of the House at Washington, passed March 21st, asking information of the Treasurer elicited the names of 340 defaulters; the defalcation of ten of whom amounts to $5,933,113; 30 of them were prosecuted civilly but not criminally: many of them are now living in wealth.

Millions of money have not only been stolen before it reached the Treasury but the Secretary of the Navy, both under Johnson and Grant, assumed in direct violation of the Constitution to increase the pay of Naval officers one-third more. See Order No. 75 of 1866, issued by the Secretary of the Treasury. Under that order, $3,763,981 were drawn from the Treasury up to last January. Such a violation should be rebuked at the polls. If the President permits that, what guarantee have we that before his term expires he may not proclaim himself emperor or king. The Northern Pacific Railroad Company had a grant of 47,000,000 acres of land, and last winter a Radical Congress increased it 6,000,000 more, making in all 53,000,000 of acres—an area large enough for an empire.

This road runs from Lake Superior to the Pacific Ocean, a distance of 2000 miles, owned by five or six individuals, embracing 80 miles in diameter. Now, what would you think of a government building this road at a cost of $120,000,000, and then turn round and make it a present to a corporation? Please, then, tell me the difference between the Government building it, and furnishing the means to do it with, as in this case, and a large surplus remaining. The public Lands should be held as a sacred trust by our rulers for the benefit of the whole people. During the 72 years of our national life and prior to 1861 all administrations only made grants of lands to Railroad Companies or to States for Canals, all told about 25,000,000 acres, and these Radical leaders in Congress have given to one company, the Union and Central Pacific 164,000,000 acres, and have given to the same, in subsidies, in the guaranteed and secured Bonds of the U. States, $64,618,832, bearing 6 per cent. interest, for the payment of all which your lands and houses your labor and your toil are pledged, and to this very hour the people have paid an interest on those bonds of $8,815,345. I might proceed and name other corporations where large grants have been made to private corporations. The 105 cases of contested election, before the present party sway, cost the government $150,000; 89 cases under Radical rule in ten years cost over $750,000. In 1868 Louisiana by a fair election, sent Democratic delegates to Congress, they having received from 5,000 to 12,000 majority against the minority vote of 5,000. They were repelled from the House of Representatives and 3 carpet-baggers elected; 2 seats being declared vacated. Look at the Navy; we have 1409 officers and 8,500 men—1 officer to 6 men. How are those men engaged? Take the Washington Navy Yard and see the expense. The people of the United States do not know how the Radical party is taxing them. The soles of your shoes are taxed 35 per cent. You never paid over $60,000,000 a year for government before the present party got in power. Now it is $400,000,000. Do you prodose to continue these men in power? You are the sovereign people; the power resis in you to turn out of office, those recreant to their trusts. At Washington, the galleries of the Capitol are lined with negroes, fed by the government of the United States.

The extent of the national debt of $2,500,000,000 can best be appreciated by showing that in dollar green backs, the paper would reach ten times around the earth, or enough to cable the moon to the earth and have 10,000 miles left. I am a white man and go for the predominance of my own race in our government.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

If you want a Suit of Ready-made Clothing, stop at W. H. MOORE & Co's.

Madigan & Co's. Circus will exhibit in this town on Wednesday next, afternoon and evening. This show claims to be the model show of the period. Among the list of their Artists we notice the names of well-known Equestriennes, Leapers, Tumblers, Gymnasts, Horsemen, &c. and last but not least, the popular Clown, Dan Gardiner. The Circus will parade through town headed by Bismark's Prussian Band. See advertisement in another column.

Go to W. H. MOORE & Co's. for Blankets.

FACTS FOR THE PUBLIC.—Hanson Bros. in the Town Hall, Middletown, Delaware, have opened a New, Beautiful and Well-Selected Stock of Goods comprising everything usually kept in a Dry Goods and Grocery store, and as they have purchased strictly for cash, they feel confident they can sell as low as the lowest. Remember the place—Town Hall, Middletown, Delaware.

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Constantly on hand at prices to suit all:

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This Coal we warrant to be of the Best Quality and guarantee it to give satisfaction.

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THE WAR NEWS.

The tide of war seems to have changed in France. Even when full allowance is made for exaggerations of war reports, still, enough remains in the news from the scene of conflict, to show that the French are gaining and the Prussians losing ground. Near Paris, the Prussians have been driven back from their advanced positions several miles. They can no longer reach even the forts with their guns. In the meantime, Bazaine has escaped from Metz; beaten the besieging force, and is now at Thionville, organizing an army for offensive operations in the field. With such a body of men as Bazaine can gather and discipline, supported by the irregular troops under Garibaldi, the Prussian line of communication can be cut, and the whole army around Paris placed in a very precarious condition. Under the Republic, the French people seem to have regained all their old, heroic and self-sacrificing spirit. Henceforth, the contest will be a desperate one on the part of the French. They are now fighting for freedom, not a dynasty.

On the 12th inst. the people of Paris, impatient of Prussian delay in attacking them, marched forth upon the enemy, driving them back from the positions on the entire circumference of Paris, which they have been occupying since three weeks. A London dispatch says the terrible fire of the Mont Valerian fortifications swept the country round about. For a circuit of six kilometres the Prussian works have been destroyed; all the batteries attempted to be constructed by them having been swept away. Reports from the Sub-Prefect of Pont L'Evcque, to the 12th inst, confirm the announced success of the sorties by Marshal Bazaine. He had burned five villages which sheltered the Prussians; dislodged them from several positions, and cut to pieces four regiments of cavalry. At the same time, Marshal Canrobert made a successful sortie on the left bank of the Moselle.

Late advices say the German armies in France, although constantly reinforced, do not number much more than 500,000 effective men. This is a small force, considering the magnitude of the task before them, which includes—besides the sieges of Paris, Metz, Verdun, and Thionville—extensive operations towards the north and south of France. The French Army of the North, now forming at Lisle, has been placed under the command of Gen. Bourbaki, who will co-operate with Marshal Bazaine. Another battle between the Army of the Loire and part of the army of the Crown Prince seems probable near Ferte St. Aubin, south of Orleans.

M, Gambetta has left Tours for the French army in the Vosges, which is to be organized for the purpose of resisting the German advance contemplated from Strasbourg, via Belfort and Lyons. A despatch from Valenciennes reports the state of affairs in Paris satisfactory, the people calm and hopeful, the discipline of the troops good, and the fire from the fortifications on the besiegers most effective. The marines distinguished themselves particularly in serving their guns. The Germans have not yet been able to approach near enough on account of the disastrous sweeping fire from the forts, to establish batteries for the shelling of Paris. St. Cloud, where they made the attempt, is a total ruin, and in Napoleon's favorite palace all the pictures and tapestry have been destroyed by the fire from Fort Mont Valerien.

By the grand sortie of General Trochu the German lines around Paris have been broken on the south side, and the French are said to be marching south towards Melun. Should this successful movement be followed up by an advance of the Army of the Loire from Orleans, permanent communication with Paris on the south side will be re-established. At the reconnoissance from Paris towards Bagneux, resulting in a battle near that place in which the French have been successful, the fighting was desperate and the Germans sffuered severely.

Hamburg and Bremen are threatened by the French fleet, and the excitement in those cities is intense. The London bankers decline to negotiate German paper. Russia is reported to have tendered her services for mediation, and Austria and England sustain her propositions. Rumors of an armistice are current in London banking circles, and stocks are advancing.

Disastrous Hurricane in Cuba.

A despatch dated Havana, Oct. 17, says:—A disastrous hurricane visited this city and swept over the island on Friday night. Two thousand persons are said to have perished at Matanzas by an extraordinary tide in the San Juan river, which swept away the depots, trains of passengers and numerous private houses. The lower part of the city of Cardenas is laid waste. The interior back of Matanzas and Cardenas is desolated. The steamship Missouri, from this port for New York, had to put back two miles off Moro Castle. The French mail steamer Darien has been lost fifteen miles to windward of Guatanamo. The hurricane was the severest that has visited the island for a century.

The cooperage and stock in the warehouses in Mantanzas were all destroyed. The influx of the sea caused a great rise in the rivers, and when the sea receded everything was swept away by the returning flood.

A dispatch from Key West says that the steamers Cuba and Gulf Stream were four days getting to the warf. The Cuba reports having felt the hurricane seventy miles out. The naval squadron and monitors are all safe.

Later dispatches repeat the report from Matanzas, and say that the wind caused the San Juan and Jumari rivers to unite, flooding the city and causing the immense loss of property and life before reported. No lives were lost at Havana, and the damage was not very great there. In the Gulf debris of wrecks are floating about. A large part of Key West was inundated. The hurricane began on the 7th and lasted five days.

The Mormons predict a civil war between them and the United States within a year.

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Although our importations have been on a larger scale than ever before, we already find our stock rapidly diminishing before the active demand thus early made upon it.

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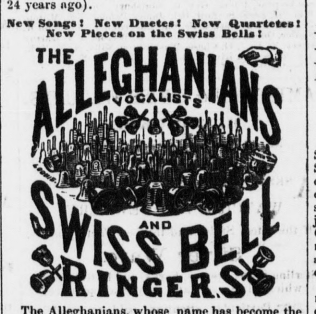

The Alleghanians, whose name has become the "Household word" of the music-loving people of all nations, and whose continuous travels have extended to all parts of the civilized globe, will appear in their new incomparable programme, as above. Miss C. Hiffert, the wonderful contralto, and Mr. J. M. Boulard, the renouned bass, are still with the troupe. Miss Marie Packard, the distinguished soprano, from St. Peter's Church, Boston, and Mr. Walter Field, the versatile English Buffo, late of the Riching's Opera Troupe, will also appear, forming, in all, the most effective Quartette in the world.

☞ *SPECIAL NOTICE.*—The management of the Alleghanians would state, that owing to other engagements, it will be impossible for them to remain longer than one night here.

☞ Be sure to hear their *New Swiss Bells*, costing upwards of $6,000 "ea."

Tickets, 50 cts; Children, 25 cts; Reserved Seats, 75 cts.—for sale at the Post Office and the Drug stores. Concert commences at 8 o'clock.

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BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court of Kent county, as a Court of Equity, the undersigned as Trustee, will expose to public sale to the highest bidder on

TUESDAY,

THE TWENTY-FIFTH OF OCTOBER, 1870,

at eleven o'clock, A. M. at the Hotel Porch of Mr. Samuel V. Farson (the Voshel House) in Chestertown, part of a tract or tracts of land lying in Kent county, called

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Mr. Moffett will show the premises to any one who may call to examine it.

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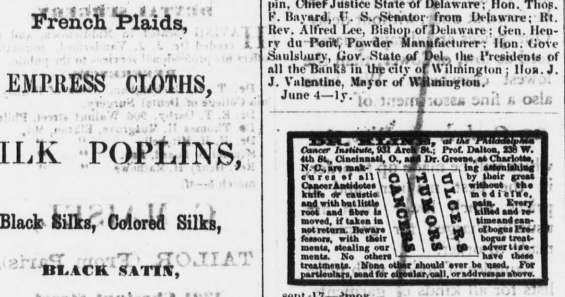
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But her nails are as sharp as a toasting-fork,
And her arms are as strong as a bear's;
She pulled my hair and gouged my eye.
And she kicked me down the stairs.

I've got me an eye that's made of glass,
And I've got a wig that's new;
The wig is frizzled in cork-screw curls,
And my eye is a clouded blue.

She may shake her knuckles full in my face,
And put the lamp to my beard,
And hold the broomstick o'er my head—
But I'm not at all afeard.

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MONDAY, MAY 2d, 1870,

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LEAVE	A. M.	LEAVE	A. M.
Kennedyville,	7 00	Townsend	11 40
Black's	7 10	Vandyke's	11 55
Lambson's	7 25	Morris' P. M.	12 05
Massey's	7 50	Massey's	12 25
Morris'	8 00	Lambson's	12 40
Vandyke's	8 15	Black's	12 40
ARRIVE		ARRIVE	
Townsend	8 30	Kennedyville	1 00

Passengers from Kennedyville, and all stations on the Kent County Rail Road, will reach Wilmington at 10.15, A. M. Philadelphia at 11.45, A M. and Baltimore at 1.05, P. M.

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THE undersigned would hereby respectfully beg leave to return his sincere thanks to the Democratic and Conservative voters of New Castle county for their partiality in selecting him as their candidate for the Sherffalty, from among so many other gentlemen, whose names were presented to them on Saturday last, any one of whom would have done honor alike to the office and the great party to which they so long and faithfully adhered.

It would afford him great pleasure to visit his friends in every Hundred in the county and to tender to each, personally, his thanks for the honor conferred upon him; but, as circumstances, which are best understood by those who are most intimately acquainted with him, render this impracticable, he adopts this as the only available mode of expressing his gratitude to his fellow-citizens for their past support and of soliciting a continuation of the same at the ensuing general election, pledging himself, that, should he be so fortunate as to be elected to the said office, he will discharge its duties with honesty, fidelity, and to the best of his humble ability.

JAMES ARMSTRONG.
Fwark, Del. June 11, 1870—te

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Dec. 12—tf.

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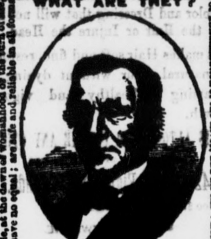

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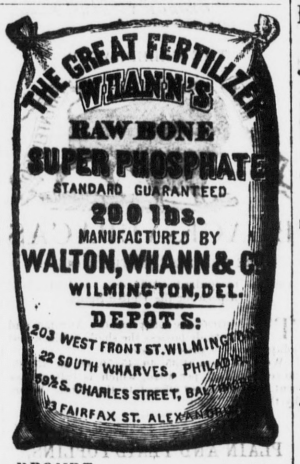

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June 11—6m

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January 15—tf

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September 2—tf

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It is very simple in construction; very substantially made up, has the patented porcelain wheel; is easily regulated, and guaranteed to sow *any and every kind of merchantable Guano and Phosphate* with the greatest uniformity and accuracy.

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TERMS:

Delaware Grain and Phosphate Drill,
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Stoves of all kinds suitable for Stores, Offices, Bar-rooms, and School Houses.

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July 2—y

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Summer Arrangement.

ON and after Monday, April fourth, 1870, Passenger Trains will run as follows, until further notice. All trains Sundays excepted.

NORTH.			SOUTH.		
LEAVE	A. M.	LEAVE.	A. M.	P. M.	
Delmar		11 00	*Philadelphia*	8 30	5 00
Laurel		11 15	*Baltimore*	7 25	2 40
Seaford		11 35	*Wilmington*	10 10	6 25
Bridgeville		11 50	New Castle	10 30	6 45
		P. M.	State Road	10 35	6 50
Greenwood		12 05	Bear,	10 45	7 00
Farmington	A. M.	12 15	St. Georges	11 00	7 10
Harrington	7 00	12 30	Mt. Pleasant	11 10	7 25
Felton	7 15	12 50	*Middletown*	11 25	7 45
Canterbury	7 20	1 00	Townsend	11 35	7 55
Willow Grove	7 25	1 10	Blackbird	11 40	8 00
Wyoming (Cam.)	7 35	1 15	Sassafras	11 50	8 10
Dover	7 50	1 25		P. M.	
Moorton	8 05	1 40	Clayton	12 00	8 20
Brenford	8 10	1 45	ARRIVE	P. M.	
Smyrna	8 05	1 40	Smyrna	12 10	8 30
Clayton	8 20	1 55	LEAVE.		
Sassafras Road	8 25	2 00	Brenford	12 05	8 28
Blackbird	8 35	2 15	Moorton	12 15	8 30
Townsend	8 40	2 20	*Dover*	12 30	8 55
Middletown	9 00	2 35	Wyoming (Cam.)	12 40	9 05
Mt. Pleasant	9 10	2 45	Willow Grove	12 45	9 10
St. Georges	9 25	3 00	Canterbury	12 55	9 15
Bear	9 35	3 15	Felton	1 05	9 25
State Road	9 45	3 20	Harrington	1 25	9 40
N. Castle	9 55	3 33	Farmington	1 35	
ARRIVE.			Greenwood	1 50	
Wilmington	10 15	3 55	Bridgeville	2 00	
Philada.	11 45	5 25	*Seaford*	2 20	
	P. M.		Laurel	2 40	
Baltimore	1 05	8 10	Delmar	2 55	

FREIGHT TRAIN, with Passenger Car attached, will leave Stations named at the following hours, (subject to delays incident to freight business) viz: Going South, leave Wilmington about 4 00 A. M. New Castle, 4 45; Middletown, 6 30; Clayton, 7 30; Dover, 8 50; Camden, 9 15; Felton, 10 10, and to due at Harrington 10 30 A. M. Going North, to leave Harrington about 3 05 P. M. Felton, 3 50; Camden, 4 55; Dover, 5 35; Morton, 6; Clayton, 6 50; Middletown, 8 20; New Castle, 10 00; and be due at Wilmington 10 30 P. M.

This train will stop to take up passengers only at Stations named, but will set down passengers at any regular stopping place between Harrington and Wilmington, except Hare's Corner, State Road, Del. Junction and Dupont.

NEW CASTLE TRAINS.—Leave New Castle for Wilmington and Philadelphia at 7 40 A. M. Leave Philadelphia at 12 00 M. and Wilmington 1 10 P. M. for New Castle.

SMYRNA BRANCH TRAINS.—Additional to those above will leave Smyrna for Clayton 11 40 A. M. and 8 00 P. M. Leave Clayton for Smyrna 8 40 A. M. and 2 P. M. to make connections with trains to and from Dover, and Stations south.

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aug 6—3m President.